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FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY VAKY FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: OAS NU VE CI
SUBJ: VENEZUELAN REQUEST FOR MFN ON NICARAGUA

REF: STATE 227730

1. FOREIGN MINISTER CUBILLOS TOLD ME SEPT 8 THAT HE HAS
INSTRUCTED HIS OAS DELEGATION TO PUSH FOR FURTHER DELAY
OF CONSIDERATION OF REQUEST FOR CONVOCATION OF MFN. IF,
HOWEVER, THERE SHOULD BE A MEETING ON SEPT 12, CHILE WILL
VOTE AGAINST AN MFN.

2. CUBILLOS SAID THAT HIS PRINCIPAL REASON FOR INSTRUCTING
HIS DELEGATION IN THIS MANNER WAS HIS ANNOYANCE OVER THE
FORM IN WHICH VENEZUELAN PERMREP MACHAIN CALLED FOR THE
MEETING. IN CUBILLOS' VEIN, MACHAIN'S SPEECH AND REQUEST

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WAS SO CLEARLY "INTERVENTIONIST" THAT CHILE MUST OPPOSE
THE VENEZUELAN MOVE.

3. THE MINISTER HOPED, HOWEVER, THAT COOLER HEADS WOULD
PREVAIL AND THAT THE MEETING WOULD BE POSTPONED UNTIL
AN ACCEPTABLE MODUS OPERANDI CAN BE WORKED OUT.
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